Deficiency Status Report 1

Status Report Submitted: June 29, 2007

CUPA Name: Bakersfield Fire Department

Evaluation Date: March 6 and 7, 2007

Next Status Report Due: September 28, 2007

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Based on the CUPA's corrective action responses, the following deficiencies are considered corrected and no further updates are required:

Deficiencies and Corrective Actions

1. **Deficiency:** The CUPA's Consolidated Permit Program Plan is missing a flow chart describing the Unified Program's permitting procedures.

Preliminary Corrective Actions: By June 7, 2007, include a flow chart describing the Unified Program's permitting procedures with the CUPA's Consolidated Permit Program Plan. Submit the flow chart along with the deficiency status report to Cal/EPA.

CUPA's 1st Status Update: The permit flow chart is attached with the status report email.

- 2. **Deficiency:** The CUPA's Inspection and Enforcement Plan inspection component is missing two required elements:
 - a. The number of regulated businesses within each program element.
 - b. A schedule of the frequency of inspections to be conducted.

Preliminary Corrective Actions: By June 7, 2007, submit the CUPA's revised inspection component that includes the missing elements.

CUPA's 1st Status Update: The CUPA's Inspection and Enforcement Plan revision is attached with the status report email.

3. **Deficiency:** The CUPA is not sending information pertaining to underground storage tank program using Report 6 on a quarterly basis.

The CUPA has not submitted reports for the last two quarters and only 2 quarterly Report 6s in the last three years.

Preliminary Corrective Actions: By March 14, 2007, submit Report 6 for the October – December 2006 quarter and continue to submit Report 6 when due.

<u>Information Request</u>: Submit Report 6 for the October – December 2006 quarter along with the 1st status report to Cal/EPA.

CUPA's 1st Status Update: The CUPA's Report 6's have been, and are being submitted.

4. **Deficiency:** The CUPA is not conducting inspections with a frequency that is consistent with its Inspection and Enforcement Plan and with the inspection of other program elements.

Preliminary Corrective Actions: By March 7, 2008, and annually thereafter, the CUPA should inspect at least one third (33% per year) of its hazardous waste generator facilities.

Additional resources need to be committed to the generator program within one year.

CUPA's 1st Status Update: Resource allocation conducted. See attached Document.pdf showing 157 generator inspections conducted past qtr. which is 25% of all generators in the City. This inspection rate exceeds the deficiency correction criteria.

5. **Deficiency:** The CUPA is unable to document that all facilities that have received a notice to comply citing minor violations have returned to compliance within 30 days of notification.

Preliminary Corrective Actions: By June 6, 2007, document RTC certifications from owners/operators cited for minor violations with either a re-inspection report or a signed RTC form.

Please submit two recent copies of completed RTC certifications and/or two re-inspection reports along with the deficiency status report to Cal/EPA.

CUPA's 1st Status Update: RTC Form & PDF file of report showing 2 RTCs is attached with the status report email.

6. **Deficiency:** The CUPA's 2007 area plan does not contain all the required elements. The following elements are missing:

- Training
- Incident Critique and Follow-up

Preliminary Corrective Actions: By September 31, 2007, amend the area plan to include those missing elements. And, include this amended area plan with the submission of the 2nd deficiency status report.

CUPA's 1st Status Update: The OES approved Area Plan is attached with the status report email.